



MISSIONS TO MILITARY, Inc.

Winning & Training the Military for Jesus Christ

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Dear Friends & Family,

We are writing to announce a wonderful call to ministry that we have just recently answered. Last month, we joined with Missions To Military, a Christ honoring missionary agency that has been winning and training the Military for the Lord for over fifty years in the States and around the world.

Most of you, who know us, know of our love and respect for those in the Military. Anne and I, both, come from families with strong Military service. In our own family, our oldest four children are in active Military service or have already served.¹



What is most encouraging is that the life of Christ and the power of the Gospel are at work in their lives, and ours. God has called them to Himself; their love for God has called them to active duty as a part of their faith. We, too, share in their joy of service and in their devotion to God and Country.

We understand also that most people in the Military do not know Christ and do not, yet, have the strong faith and testimony of our own children. Our love for Christ, for our fellowman, for our country, and our desire to win them for Christ has moved us to join with Missions To Military in this vital and needed missions field.

This ministry to our Military comes at a critical time in the history of our country. Never before has the Military been at war, while the rest of America has not. Never before has the presidency, the Joint Chiefs and the Senate endorsed open homosexuality in the Military. Never before has the spiritual vacuum present in our Military created such crises in the lives of military personnel. Never before could it be said, as by an Army sergeant major, that his troops were safer in the combat environment of Iraq, than back in the U.S.² Never before, has there been a greater need and a better missionary opportunity in the Military for the Gospel than there is today.

So, we simply ask you to pray for us and to hold us in your hearts, if you will. Pray for us as we begin our deputation ministry to raise our personal support for our future ministry to the Military in Mayport, Florida.

¹Scott, Marine combat veteran; Allison, Navy Nurse. Colton, USMC Scout-Sniper; Aaron, Army recruit.

²Army Command Master Sergeant, quoted in 07.14.2010, msnbc.com article, on death toll from drugs, alcohol, and violence among returning troops in Ft Bliss, Texas.